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DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)	Attorney Docket Number	0818.0104C
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	Application Number	09 / 821,456
	Filing Date	April 6, 2001
	Group Art Unit	
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Splittable Multicomponent Elastomeric Fibers

the specification of which (Title of the Invention)

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☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) **10/06/1999** as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number **PCT/US99/23267** and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) **08/04/2000** (if applicable).

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09/404,245	09/21/1999	

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